

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed the drug to be blue-colored, lime-coated, spherical tablets containing methylene blue, cubeb, oils, and resins.

The drug had been shipped in bulk, and the cartoned pills represented pills repacked and relabeled by the consignee.

LIBELED: 11-13-56, E. Dist. La.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for producing diuresis and overcoming internal pain in the region of the kidneys.

DISPOSITION: 12-26-56. Default—destruction.

5190. Rabro tablets. (F. D. C. No. 38994. S. No. 36-763 M.)

QUANTITY: 5,000 10-tablet unlabeled vials at Brooklyn, N. Y., in possession of Hugo Osthold, Inc.

SHIPPED: 10-20-55, in bulk, from Nijmegen, Holland.

LABEL IN PART: (Box) "Liquorice Bismuth Therapy Rabro * * * Formula: Succus Liquiritae 300 mg. Bismuthi Subnitras 350 mg. Magnesii Carbonas Levis 400 mg. Sodii Bicarbonas 200 mg. Frangula 25 mg. Calamus 25 mg. Made in Holland Packaged And Labeled In U. S. A. Hugo Osthold, Inc. Sole Distributors In the U. S. A."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflet designated "Rabro Stomach Tablets * * * Directions for use."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The consignee intended to repack the drug into boxes labeled as described above, each box containing 5 unlabeled 10-tablet vials, together with the above leaflet.

LIBELED: 3-21-56, E. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling accompanying the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for gastritis and gastric and duodenal ulcers; 502 (b)—the article failed to bear a label containing (1) the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor, and (2) an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; and 502 (e) (2)—the article was a drug fabricated from two or more ingredients, and the label failed to bear the common or usual name of each active ingredient contained in the drug.

DISPOSITION: 9-25-56. Default—destruction.

5191. C-Tone. (F. D. C. No. 39239. S. No. 25-417 M.)

QUANTITY: 5 cases, 12 8-oz. btls. each, at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: 2-8-56, from Englewood, N. J., by Kegan Research Laboratory, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Natural Vitamin C A palatable high-potency aqueous extract derived solely from botanical sources. For the correction of conditions caused by deficiency of Vitamin C. C-Tone 4 tablespoons provide Natural Vitamin C . . . 250 mg. (8 times the minimum daily adult requirement) also the following naturally occurring factors: Vitamin K 1 mg., Niacin .08 mg., Rutin (Vitamin P Complex) 5 mg., Pectin (Protopectins incl.) 500 mg., Citric Acid 57 mg., and nutritionally unimportant amounts of Vitamin B₁ and B₂, Calcium and Phosphorus. Prepared by a special process from the fruit and

foliage of the Persian walnut tree, in a palatable syrup base of dextrose and water."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets entitled "C-Tone New C-Tone direct from nature's laboratory."

LIBELED: 5-17-56, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—The labeling accompanying the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was effective to strengthen the heart, sharpen memory, correct high blood pressure, reduce weight, overcome tiredness and nervousness, insure health and vitality in the aged, and rejuvenate the body.

DISPOSITION: 8-13-56. Default—destruction.

5192. True Tone tonic. (F. D. C. No. 39474. S. No. 44-908 M.)

QUANTITY: 12 8-oz. btls. at Washington, D. C.

SHIPPED: 3-20-56, from Savannah, Ga., by General Products Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Purcell's True Tone The South's Favorite Tonic * * *
Active Ingredients: Solution Iron Chloride, USP * * * Acid, USP * * *
Epsom Salts, USP (Magnesium Sulphate USP) Color added."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets entitled "The Old Reliable True Tone Tonic."

LIBELED: 9-18-56, Dist. of Columbia.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for high blood pressure, rheumatism, indigestion, constipation, gas on stomach, dizziness, kidney disorders, stomach disorders, weak back, aches and pains, weak rundown condition, and nervousness.

DISPOSITION: 10-19-56. Default—destruction.

5193. Lexino herb tonic and Lexino cough medicine. (F. D. C. No. 38950. S. Nos. 31-915/16 M.)

QUANTITY: 70 1-pt. btls. of *Lexino herb tonic* and 10 cartoned 8-oz. btls. of *Lexino cough medicine* at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

SHIPPED: 1-3-56, from Lisbon, Conn., by General Products Corp.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Lexino Herb Tonic Alcohol 1% Active Ingredients: Aloin, Cascara, Gentian, Wild Cherry, Rhubarb, Broom Tops, Senna, Senna Pods, Centaury, Bitter Orange Peel, Uva Ursi, Golden Seal Herb, Triticum, Peppermint Buchu, Licorice, Sarsaparilla, Cardamon, Cinnamon, Caraway. Diuretic * * * Laxative * * * Stomachic * * * Carminative" and "Lexino * * * Cough Medicine Active Ingredients: Senega, Thyme, Squills, Senna, Capsicum, Anis, Ammonium Chloride, Ammonium Carbonate, Sodium Citrate, and Menthol. It gives quick relief in the treatment of coughs due to colds, Bronchial Irritations, and Catarrhal conditions and Irritations of the throat."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflet entitled "Truly Helpful Medicines."

LIBELED: 2-13-56, M. Dist. Pa.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the articles, when shipped, contained the following false and misleading representations:

1. That the *Lexino herb tonic* was a tonic and was suitable for frequent and continuous use; that it was effective to tone up the organs of the body and aid them in throwing off impurities and dangerous wastes; that it was an effective